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Reference to: Mission 1107-2 MILITARY ACTIVITY
TURKESTAN MILITARY DISTRICT, USSR

1. SIGNIFICANCE: THREE NEW MILITARY BARRACKS AREAS ARE OBSERVED
UNDER CONSTRUCTION AND ONE BARRACKS AREA IS
BEING EXPANDED IN THE TURKESTAN MILITARY
DISTRICT OF THE USSR.
2. LOCATION: KOLZHAT ARMY BARRACKS IS 4 NM WEST OF THE
USSR-CHINA BORDER AT 43-30-00N 080-39-20E.
PANFILOV ARMY BARRACKS NORTH IS 16 NM WEST
OF THE USSR-CHINA BORDER AT 44-12-00N 080-00-00E.
CHUNDZHA ARMY BARRACKS IS 50 NM WEST OF THE
USSR-CHINA BORDER AT 43-32-20N 079-27-50E.
TALDY KURGAN MILITARY BARRACKS AL-1 IS 65
NM WEST OF THE USSR-CHINA BORDER AT 45-01-00N
078-21-00E.
3. REMARKS: THE FIRST IDENTIFICATION OF THE ARMY BARRACKS
AT KOLZHAT, PANFILOV, AND CHUNDZHA, AND THE
FIRST EVIDENCE OF EXPANSION AT TALDY KURGAN
IS FROM PHOTOGRAPHY FROM MISSION 1107.

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THESE FOUR INSTALLATIONS BRING TO SIX THE NUMBER OF NEW OR EXPANDED GROUND FORCE INSTALLATIONS IN THE TURKESTAN MILITARY DISTRICT NEAR THE USSR-CHINA BORDER THAT HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED ON PHOTOGRAPHY FROM THIS MISSION. THE OTHER TWO ARE ILI ARMY BARRACKS AL-1 (43-52-20N 077-08-15E) AND UCH-ARAL ARMY BARRACKS EACH OF THE SIX APPEAR TO BE CAPABLE OF HOUSING A REGIMENT WHEN COMPLETE. WHETHER OR NOT THESE INSTALLATIONS RELATE TO THE SERIES OF REPORTED BORDER CLASHES ALONG THE TURKESTAN-SINKIANG SECTOR OF THE USSR-CHINA BORDER CANNOT BE DETERMINED FROM PHOTOGRAPHY. THE CLOSEST INSTALLATION TO THE AREA OF THE CLASHES IS UCH-ARAL, WHICH IS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 66 NM WEST OF YU-MIN, CHINA.

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4. COLLATERAL:

NONE

5. MISSION READOUT:

KOLZHAT ARMY BARRACKS--THIS UNSECURED INSTALLATION CONTAINS 34 BUILDINGS IN VARYING STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION AND APPROXIMATELY 80 POSSIBLE TENTS. A POSSIBLE STRONGPOINT IS UNDER CONSTRUCTION EAST OF

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THE INSTALLATION AND APPROXIMATELY 100 FEET FROM THE BORDER. HEAVY SCARRING AND TRACK ACTIVITY IS EVIDENT THROUGHOUT THE AREA.

OB: APPROXIMATELY 40 VEHICLES OR PIECES OF EQUIPMENT.

PANFILOV ARMY BARRACKS NORTH--THIS PARTIALLY SECURED INSTALLATION UNDER CONSTRUCTION CONTAINS 11 BARRACKS, ONE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, ONE MESSHALL, TWO QUONSET BUILDINGS, ONE VEHICLE STORAGE BUILDING, AND AT LEAST SEVEN BUILDINGS UNDER CONSTRUCTION.

OB: AT LEAST 120 VEHICLES OR PIECES OF EQUIPMENT.

CHUNDZHA ARMY BARRACKS--THIS PARTIALLY SECURED INSTALLATION CONTAINS SEVEN BARRACKS, TWO BARRACKS UNDER CONSTRUCTION, 12 QUARTERS, NINE OTHER BUILDINGS UNDER CONSTRUCTION, AND FOUR SUPPORT BUILDINGS.

TALDY KURGAN MILITARY BARRACKS AL-1--TWO BUILDINGS ARE UNDER CONSTRUCTION WITHIN THE INSTALLATION. THE ARMY BARRACKS IS EXPANDING TO THE WEST. FOUR BUILDINGS HAVE BEEN CONSTRUCTED, AND FIVE OTHER BUILDINGS ARE UNDER CONSTRUCTION WEST OF THE INSTALLATION. AT LEAST 44 TENTS ARE WITHIN THE WEST AREA.

OB: AT LEAST 50 VEHICLES OR PIECES OF EQUIPMENT.

KOLZHAT:

PANFILOV:

CHUNDZHA:

TALDY KURGAN:

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